

MAZDA PROTEGE





**WELCOME
TO A NEW CLASS OF CAR.**







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A stand out but not a show off, the new Mazda Protegé is the class act in compact cars. Its elegantly contoured bonnet and expressive face, five point grille and sleekly integrated front lights only hint at the refinements that lie within. As ever, its road manners and handling are impeccable. Only now, its capacity for Zoom-Zoom is more impressive than ever. For the first time, Protegé is available in two more powerful forms - the standard 1.8 litre and the all new 2.0 litre Protegé SP20.



1.8L with Power Pack shown.

STYLE

NEVER GOES OUT OF STYLE.

As the saying goes - you either have it or you don't. And the Mazda Protegé practically radiates style, from the inside out. The aura is lively, the fascia is lightly dimpled, the seats and doors are trimmed in velour, and the glass is tinted all the way 'round. Fine-tuning throughout the car, has made the interior all the more welcoming and soothing. An atmosphere only enhanced by the four-speed, integrated air conditioning. Not to mention the superb sound from the Protegé's four-speaker AM/FM/CD stereo. Power windows and mirrors are also available care of the optional Power Pack.

Naturally for a Mazda, there is remote central locking, handy cup-holders, tilt-adjustable steering wheel and a cushion-tilt, height-adjustable driver's seat to make any driver feel right at home. While the large boot means nothing has to be left at home. (It even has 60/40 split-fold to accommodate long objects.) All in all, the Mazda Protegé's interior leaves little to be desired. Except a road to enjoy it on.







ALL THOSE IN FAVOUR OF THE MOTION?

As the class act in small cars, the Mazda Protegé naturally performs with ease. And is fun to drive. Its well-proven engine has two camshafts and 16 valves, and is responsive yet frugal. Quiet and smooth. The 1.8 litre engine effortlessly delivers 92kW at 6000rpm. So while the five-speed manual may be robust, it remains light and easy to use. Of course, there's always the option of the four-speed automatic, electronic and silky-smooth. Whichever you choose, power-assistance makes steering a breeze. The rack-and-pinion system makes it crisp and responsive. Around town, the Protegé's agility comes into play, helped by its compact size and tight turning-circle. While in the country, you can cruise with the confidence of excellent dynamics. Fully independent suspension, a wide track and four wheel disc brakes - ventilated up front - all calmly playing their part. After all, true class never has to try hard.





PROTEGE' SP20.



THE QUIET LITTLE CAR THAT'S SUDDENLY ALL THE RAGE.

For those who prefer the special performance of an SP20 but in a sedan, may we present the all new Mazda Protegé SP20. What do we mean by special performance? How about a 2.0 litre engine delivering 98kW at 6000rpm and 174Nm of torque at 4500rpm. That sort of special. Yet even though it's fast, the standard ABS brakes with Electronic Brake force Distribution will pull you up just as quickly.

Of course, the Protegé SP20 isn't just different under the bonnet. Its full sports body kit includes 16-inch alloy wheels, a fully-integrated front end with fog lamps, side skirts and to top it all off, a rear, boot mounted spoiler. Inside, the story continues with two-tone trim, chrome insert door scuff plates, silver instrumentation and carbon-like inserts in the dash.

Add air conditioning with automatic temperature control and a six-stack CD stereo as standard, and you'll have yourself a Mazda Protegé that's anything but.





STYLE IS NOT ITS ONLY STRENGTH.

Protegé comes from the French word "to protect". And as you'll see, it's very apt. MAIDAS (Mazda Advanced Impact Distribution and Absorption System) crumple zones, Triple H central body cage and side impact beams unite to safeguard you on all sides. All of them supplemented by driver and passenger airbags and pre-tensioners with load limiters on the front seat belts. Whilst an electronic immobiliser works at keeping your Protecge your property, Mazda's renowned quality and reliability lend substance to style. Affirmed by our three-year/unlimited kilometre warranty. Protecge protects you on every front.



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